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Election District, Frederick County, Maryland?

- A. I lived above this particular property from 1924 to 1951.
- Q. During this period of time did you know a Charity Gordon?
- A. Yes, I did.
- Q. Was she in possession of this property from 1924 to approximately 1933 when she died?
- A. Yes, she was.
- Q. To the best of your knowledge did anyone ever make any claim against her for said property being Outerbridge Horsey, Anna Carroll Horsey, Ann Caroline Horsey, Elizabeth Lee Horsey, Ella Horsey Montgomery, Thomas S. Lee Horsey or Charles Carroll Lee Horsey?
- A. No. The only claim ever made against said property was the Sheriffs Sale by Lawson Johnson and wife against George Michael Gordon, Columbus Gordon and James F. Gordon, which occurred about 1940, of course, at this time Mrs. Charity Gordon was deceased and it is my understanding that the property was then purchased by George Arnold, who conveyed said property to Mr. & Mrs. Columbus Gordon.
- Q. Did you know a Mrs. Eliza Morris?
- A. I knew of her and saw her once or twice. I do know that she was the mother of Charity Gordon who had lived on the property some years before Mr. Columbus Gordon purchased the property.

  Outerbirdge Horsey ran a distillery in this area and most of the people in the area worked for him at the distillery including I am sure, Elizabeth Morris's husband, the women even worked in the kitchens of this distillery.

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